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Pastor of Knox Church Ordained and Inducted

A ceremony of great interest to Didsbury Presbyterians took place at Knox church on Friday evening last when Rev. M. D. MacGregor was ordained and inducted into the pastorate of the church.

There was a large attendance and the proceedings were impressive, the attention of the congregation being held throughout the long ceremony.

Those who had charge of the service were Rev. Mr. Smith, Moderator, Carstairs, Rev. McCartney Wilson, Knox Church, Calgary, and Rev. D. H. Marshall, Hillhurst church, Calgary.

After the ceremony the Ladies' Aid of the church served lunch and a social time was spent during those present welcomed the pastor to his new charge.

Private Charlie Mortimer In a Curling Match In Glasgow

A letter has just been received by Mrs. D. Seigner from her brother Charlie Mortimer who is now a member of the 31st Batt. in which he states that he was visiting in Scotland in February and played a curling match with some real curlers. The skip of the home rink was a Mr. A. C. Riddal who came to Canada on a Curling Bonspiel in 1912 and played through Canada as far as Winnipeg. The Canucks were beaten by a score of 14-6. After the match Mr. Riddal entertained the teams to a big supper and smoker which, Charlie says, was some doings. The following clipping is taken from the Glasgow Evening News of February 25th:

CANADIANS AT CROSSMYLOFF

An interesting match was played on Friday evening at Crossmyloff between four Canadian exponents and a strong local combination. The Canadians, though probably handicapped by conditions new to them, put up a great fight against their redoubtable adversaries. Teams: Canadians—C. Mortimer, J. Forsyth, M. R. Macdonald, and J. D. Moir (skip). Local players—Wm. Brown, J. Lamb, T. Downie, and A. C. Riddal (skip).

Of the Canadians, Messrs. Moir, Forsyth, and Mortimer all serve in the 31st Canadian Battalion, from Edmonton, Alberta; while Mr. Macdonald is in the 43rd Battalion from Winnipeg.

After hostilities Mr. Riddal, who arranged the match, entertained the visitors, and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Rosebud Items

The weather continues fine and every farmer is busy seeding.

John Deadrick has joined the colors, another good Rosebud farmer gone. If this keeps up who will feed the army after awhile? It's alright to take the drones, but the good men are needed here.

P. R. Gochee has purchased a new Gasoline plowing outfit, an International. Now watch Gochee & Sons "turn the earth" upside down.

J. C. Stevens received word from their son Bob the other day that he had arrived safe on the other side of the pond.

Miss Annie Eubank spent last Tuesday night with her friend Uilma Meek.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Luft who has been ill of late is now recovered.

Abe Meek is one of the early birds. He has about eighty acres of grain sowed all in fine shape. His success of the seed bed is due to a certain kind of drag, they are thinking of getting patented.

Joe Eby has moved in on the Eubank place north of Mr. Alden. Sam Gibson was a visitor at the Pettit home last Sunday.

C. S. Chapin and family spent last Sunday at the Gochee home. A good time is reported.

Wilfred Shantz is farming the home place this year. He has a good sized job.

Charlie Nelson is raising fall and spring wheat. Mr. Wilson says his fall wheat is a good stand.

Mountain View Notes

The Mountain View Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. E. St. Clair a week ago last Thursday and nine members and six visitors were present. A committee was appointed to find out as much as possible about how to make snip pillows for the war ambulance which affords much relief to the sufferer while being taken from the battlefield to the hospital. It was also decided to send two cases of eggs to the Soldiers Convalescent Home at Calgary the first and third week in May and anyone wishing to help out in this good cause will find a case at Studer's the first week and the third week one at Williams & Little.

Neapolis News

Seeding is well advanced in this district and the early sowing is now showing green.

R. E. Lantz, Mrs. P. H. Lantz, Mr. and Mrs. Parsons and Ada Johnston motored to Calgary on Sunday last to see Mrs. R. E. Lantz who has been ill in hospital there but is now recovering favorably and is expected home shortly.

Coon Liesemer was also at Calgary to see Mrs. C. Liesemer who we are glad to know is recovering from recent illness.

Mr. Stuart, of Hunterville, was visiting with Mr. A. R. Johnson and family last Sunday.

A Report of Springside Red Cross Work

Springside Red Cross has just finished another year of successful work. During the year the ladies met twenty-eight times at the homes of different members. Tea was al-

ways served and collections amounting to \$43.60 were taken, \$21.50 of this was paid to the branch at Didsbury. A silk quilt was donated by Mrs. Robert Adam from which the sum of \$75.00 was realized. A social evening was also given in the schoolhouse at which \$44.45 was cleared. The work done during the year included 54 pyjama suits, 12 day shirts, 6 pneumonia jackets, 106 towels, 54 pillow cases, 30 kit bags, 34 personal property bags, 54 hot water bags, 30 slings, 2 nurse aprons, 4 hospital stockings, 84 bandages and 12 pairs of stockings.

RED CROSS BULLETIN

The local branch of the Red Cross Society acknowledge with thanks the following donations:

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| Proceeds from dance given by Mrs. Perry Barnes and Mrs. P. F. Ward..... | \$20.65 |
| Mrs. (Dr.) Reed, Montreal..... | 3.00 |
| Mrs. J. E. Stauffer, Calgary..... | 7.00 |
| J. H. Hehn..... | 5.00 |
| Rebekah Lodge dance.. | 20.00 |

AROUND THE TOWN

Mrs. Boden and Mrs. Thaler will have charge of the Red Cross tea rooms on Friday afternoon.

Hugh Morton, Jr., won the checker board and Harry Siebel the cribbage board put up by the Red Cross Society.

Boys are tampering with automobiles and taking them for joy rides unknown to the owners. It will be well for these lads to remember that the law is very strict in this regard, and boys in other towns and cities are being sent to the reformatories because they have done the same thing.
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BUSINESS LOCALS

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FOR SALE—One Duroc Jersey Brood Sow due to farrow, also several shots. Apply M. Weber. 1p19

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Dr. M. Mecklenburg, the old reliable graduate, long experienced and well established Optician, will again be at the Rosebud Hotel Friday, JULY 12th; also at Olds, Victoria Hotel, Thursday, JULY 11th, and at Carstairs Saturday, JULY 13th. Do not fail to see him.

FOR SALE—About 100 bushels of good seed potatoes at market price. Apply Frank Murdoch, Didsbury. 2p19

FOR SALE—Ford Car for sale cheap. Apply Walter Leslie, Didsbury.

SETTING EGGS FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds, \$1.00 for fifteen eggs. Apply to E. J. Wilson, Didsbury, Phone 92. 3p16

FOR SALE—Good white potatoes. For further particulars apply to S. Burgess, Didsbury, phone 704. 4p15

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COAL SHORTAGE NEXT WINTER

The public is being warned by the fuel controller that there will be a fuel famine next winter unless the people start at once to stock up. This is serious news and should cause everyone to make every effort to lay in their supply through the summer. The explanation for the expected famine is the fact that there are not enough open railroad cars to ship the necessary coal and

the closed cars will all be required for shipping grain and supplies for overseas as well as shortage of labor at the mines at the time of the biggest consumption of coal.

This shortage of coal next winter will effect the supply for the electric light plant. What is the Council going to do about it. They do not seem to be making any move to investigate other fuel sources, such as natural gas which is going to waste at the power plant. Are they ready to spend some hundreds of dollars to secure a stock of coal? Now is the time to decide. Next fall and winter when lights are wanted will be no time to shut down the plant because of difficulty in securing fuel. The electric light users deserve some consideration, and if the town does not supply the light when wanted as cheaply as possible, then consumers will be justified in cutting out the light which would mean an added expense to the town as a whole. Get busy and see what can be done.

The old policy of repairing and putting down costly wooden sidewalks is being followed again this year. Cement walks may cost a little more in the first place but they do not have to be repaired every year which saves the ratepayers a lot of money. The money that is being spent this year on these old walks would put down two or three blocks of cement walks.

WAR NOTES

Only artillery actions are taking place upon the west front at present although indications point to the Germans making ready to attack again in different places.

The British have recaptured two or three important strategic points in the last few days.

Three hundred Americans made a raid on Friday last into the German lines, reaching their third line. The raid was the first made under the protection of American artillery.

It is reported that the Teuton tanks are a failure, being too heavy and developing serious defects.

The Canadians and Australians have now taken over some British trenches in the Arras sector. This is one of the most important sectors on the British front and the Australians have already advanced their lines three-quarters of a mile as a result of two attacks on the German front.

All indications point to a strong offensive by the Austrians against Italy in a short time. Emperor Charles of Austria has moved with his staff and great masses of troops to the frontier in the south.

Premier Lloyd George has just returned from another visit to the front and brings back the following message from the men: "Be of good cheer. We are all right."

The Irish situation still looks critical. Lord French has been appointed Lord Lieutenant of Ireland which looks as though the Imperial government intends to hold a firm hand over the situation.

Conditions in Quebec are much better than they have been since the Military Act went into force. Hundreds of young men are now joining up.

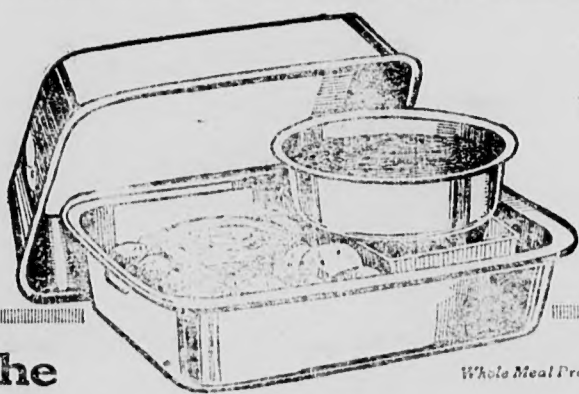
It is now known that the third American war loan within the year will be heavily over subscribed. \$3,000,000 was asked for and up to last Saturday night it is estimated the aggregate will be \$4,000,000 although it will be some time yet before the total amount is definitely known.



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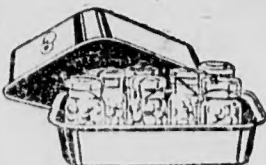
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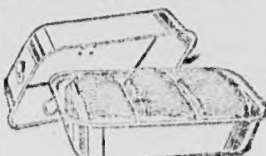
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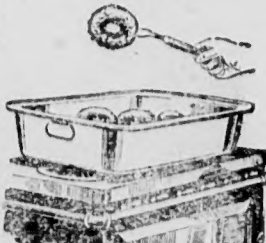
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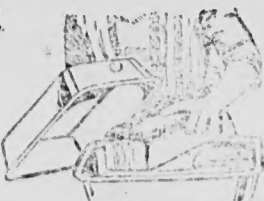
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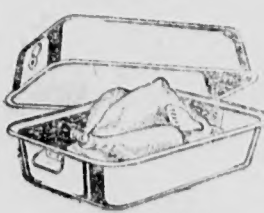
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NOTICE

**Rural Municipality of
Mountain View
No. 310**

In the matter of the court of confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Mountain View No. 310.

TAKE NOTICE that His Honor Judge Winter, Judge of the District Court of the District of Calgary will at the sittings of the Court on Wednesday, the fifth day of June, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, in the Court Room at Didsbury, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Mountain View No. 310, for taxes due to the said Municipality to December 31st, 1917.

Dated at Didsbury this 27th day of March, 1918.

A. BRUSSO,
Secretary-Treasurer.

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NOTICE

**Rural Municipality of
Westerdale No. 311**

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Westerdale No. 311.

TAKE NOTICE that His Honor Judge Winter, Judge of the District Court of the District of Calgary will at the sittings of the Court on Wednesday, the fifth day of June, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, in the Court Room at Didsbury, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Westerdale No. 311.

Dated at Didsbury, Alberta, this 25th day of March, 1918.

A. McNAUGHTON,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Rural Municipality of Westerdale
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Then came a profitable contract, which Lawrence obtained against keen opposition, for supplying telephone posts, and Foster was surprised to find that the description of their efforts to get the logs out of a rugged wilderness made a stirring tale. Although he paused once or twice apologetically, the others made him resume, and he began to wish he was not in the firelight when he saw that Alice was quietly studying him. It was his partner's story he meant to tell, but since they were together he could not leave himself out.

He could, however, change the scene, and skipping much, came to start as general contractors at Gardner's Crossing. The Hulton Company, which was not so large then, gave them work, but they were hampered by want of capital, and had to meet the competition of richer and sometimes unscrupulous antagonists. Still they made progress; staking all they had on the chance of carrying out risky work that others would not touch, sometimes testing the patience of creditors, and now and then outwitting a rival by an ingenious ruse. Lawrence lived in the single-

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room office, cooking for himself on an oil stove, while Foster camped with his men where they were at work.

Then they built the sawmill with the help of Lawrence's check from home, and soon afterwards met with their worst reverse. They had engaged to supply the Hulton Company with lumber of a certain kind for some special work, and then found that few of the trees they required grew near the river. This meant that a skidway must be made over a very rough hill and a gasoline winding engine bought or hired to haul the logs out of the next valley. There was, however, another fire easily accessible that might suit the purpose, but not quite as well, and Foster related how he and his partner sat up late one night calculating costs and wondering whether they should pay Hulton a fine to break the bargain. He added naively that they were some time arguing if they should substitute the inferior wood.

"Whose opinion was it that you should supply the exact material you had promised?" Featherstone asked.

"Well," said Foster, "Lawrence said so first, but I think we both meant to let them have the best." Featherstone's glance at his wife indicated relief, but something in Alice's face showed that she had known what Foster's reply would be. She had listened with keen interest, and he stopped, half amused and half embarrassed. Perhaps he had talked too much, and while he meant to do Lawrence justice, he did not want to play the part of the indomitable pioneer for the girl's benefit. Moreover, he knew she would detect and despise him for any attempt to do so, and as he valued her good opinion, it was not modesty alone that led him to make Lawrence the hero of the piece.

"So you stuck to your bargain!" Featherstone remarked. "Tell us how you carried it out."

Foster forgot himself and the others as he continued, for he had a vivid memory of the struggle. He took charge of the work in the woods, while Lawrence tactfully pressed for payment of outstanding accounts, put off creditors, and somehow provided money for wages. As extra gangs had to be hired, Foster owned that he did not know how the thing was done. He cut a grade for the skidway up the hill, slashing tangled bush and blasting rocks, worked in the snow by moonlight long after his men stopped, and afterwards learned that Lawrence often went without a meal when pay day got near. But they hauled out the logs and the lumber was delivered. When he stopped, Featherstone looked up with some color in his face.

"Thank you," he said. "It is a moving tale. The money we sent you was well spent. I could have expected nothing better of my son. But I suppose you found it paid to keep your promise."

"In this case it did," Foster answered with a smile. "Hulton's gave us the first chance of any work they did not care to do themselves; you

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RESULTS FOR 1917.

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|---|-----------------|
| Assets at December 31st, 1917. | \$90,160,174.00 |
| Income | 7,211,758.00 |
| Cash Income | 19,288,997.00 |
| Income | 789,896.00 |
| New Assurances issued and Paid for in Cash | 47,811,567.00 |
| Income | 5,689,270.00 |
| Assurances in Force at December 31st, 1917. | 311,870,915.00 |
| Income | 30,493,245.00 |
| Profits paid or allotted to Policyholders | 1,560,380.00 |
| Income | 40,388.00 |
| Profits paid or allotted to Policyholders, in past five years. | 5,221,983.00 |
| Total Payments to Policyholders, 1917. | 8,810,245.00 |
| Payments to Policyholders since organization | \$69,004,316 |
| Assets held for Policyholders | 90,160,174 |
| Premiums received since organization | \$120,254,490 |
| Payments to Policyholders and Assets held for them exceed the premiums received by: | \$5,893,264 |
| Undivided surplus at December 31st, 1917, over all liabilities including capital | \$8,550,761.00 |

THE COMPANY'S GROWTH

| YEAR | INCOME | ASSETS | LIFE ASSURANCES IN FORCE |
|------|---------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| 1872 | \$ 48,210.73 | \$ 90,401.95 | \$ 1,064,300.00 |
| 1887 | 477,410.08 | 1,312,504.48 | 10,873,777.00 |
| 1897 | 2,038,894.74 | 7,322,371.44 | 44,982,706.79 |
| 1907 | 6,249,298.25 | 26,488,595.16 | 111,135,694.78 |
| 1917 | 19,288,997.00 | 90,160,174.24 | 311,870,915.00 |

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Then he took Foster off to the gun room, where they smoked and talked about the day's shooting, until Featherstone said rather abruptly, "Perhaps I had better tell you that I didn't send Lawrence the check that enabled you to build the mill. It was not in my power to do so then."

"But he said the money came from home."

"It did. Alice was left a small legacy and insisted on selling the shares it consisted of in order to help her brother. I must confess that I thought she was rash, but the money was hers. Now it is obvious that the sacrifice she made was justified."

Featherstone began to talk about something else, but Foster felt embarrassed. It looked as if he owed his success in business to the girl's generosity, and although he could not see why this should disturb him, it did.

He went down to dinner rather early and found Alice in the hall. There was nobody else about, and by the way she looked up as he advanced he thought she had been waiting for him. Alice had beauty, but it was her proud reserve he felt most. She did not give her friendship lightly, but he believed it was worth winning.

"I wanted to thank you for explaining things so well," she said. "It's the first time we have really learned much about my brother's life in Canada."

Foster hesitated. "I felt that you wanted to know. But, in a way, it must have sounded rather egotistical. In fact, the thing wasn't as easy as you perhaps think."

Alice smiled. "You couldn't leave yourself out, although it was obvious that you meant to give my brother the leading part."

"I honestly don't think I exaggerated."

"No," she agreed, "it sounded real, and there were touches, little personal characteristics, you couldn't have imagined. You see, I am younger than Lawrence and thought him something of a romantic hero before he left home." Then she paused for a moment. "I got a very bad shock

when he was forced to go. You know why he went?"

"I don't; I've sometimes thought he wanted to tell me."

"Then you never asked?"

"I did not; I think I didn't want to know."

She gave him a steady searching glance and he felt that if he had been sincere she would have found out. (To Be Continued.)

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Sister Mabel, seven years old, who had been listening with a dignified attitude of superior wisdom, answered instantly: "It's where they stagger. Don't you know?"—Pittsburgh

Scotland's "Bit"

Scotland is said to have sent about a fifth of its population to war. If the United States were to do as well it would have 20,000,000 men in the field.—Newburg News.

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CAMPAIGN OF FRIGHTFULNESS HAS NO TERRORS FOR BRITISH MARINE

IS VERY DISCONCERTING TO HUN CALCULATIONS

The Trouble is Not That the British Sailor is Alarmed, but That He is Too-Careless and Contemptuous of the Risks Occasioned by Submarine Depredations

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, former president of the United States, was right when he said, as reported: "If the Hun has any notion that he'll frighten the British seaman off the waters by his frightfulness, he has another thing coming." The trouble doesn't seem to be that the British marine is too cautious and self-calculating in dealing with Teuton U-boat frightfulness, but that he is too careless and contemptuous. It has been necessary for the admiralty to issue during the past few days an official warning to the effect that several vessels have been torpedoed by reason of failure to screen their lights when passing through the danger zone at night. A special observation showed that only one out of eight ships passing a given point obeyed the order to darken their signals.

Of course this is serious and foolhardy conduct, and very reprehensible at a time when shortage in ships is most acute. But the daring disobedience must be disconcerting to the calculations of the Hun. He estimated the character of the British seaman by Teutonic standards. He figured on success through fear and frightfulness. By sinking their ships and displaying devilry toward seamen and passengers, including women and children, he imagined British would soon find herself unable to secure men to sail her vessels. He boasted that he would bring her "to her knees"—and set feverishly about his heinous job.

Kaiserism is learning the dauntless character of Britons. After months of ruthless operation of the under-seas menace, after more than twelve hundred merchant vessels have been

sunk within a year, the Hun finds that instead of having frightened his unflinching enemy from the sea it is necessary for his foe to issue specific warnings against the careless contempt in which British seamen hold his treacherous submarines. The spirit of the sea-grit Isles finds expression not alone on the fields of France and Flanders, and in the Far East, but in the silent, effective service of the fisher folk, whose travelers are forever picking up mines and gathering in submarines, the scions of Drake and Nelson ceaselessly patrolling the waters, and the men who go down to the sea in unprotected merchant vessels and liners against the unseen and lurking danger. When this spirit is broken Britain may be beaten. But the Teuton knows now that he cannot break it. —Toronto Globe.

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5-18

Betrayed by Slang

Spy Gave Wrong Answer to Question Couched in Slang

Civilization will become a myth like the lost Atlantis if another war, waged more scientifically and more diabolically than this one, is ever allowed to occur, said John Masfield in an address at Acolian Hall. His subject was "The War and the Future." He told of war incidents "which have come under my eyes or have happened to friends of mine," and he touched on the end of all wars, which he earnestly believes must result from this one.

"If two great nations—yours and mine—would agree to end war, it would be done," he said.

His stories made the war seem near and real, peopled by human beings. Incredibly near was the self-betrayal of one spy at Gallipoli, who was unversed in the intricacies of English idiom. "It was the day after the landing, April 26," he said, "and an Australian captain was up the hill at Anzac. And an Australian major came to him and said, 'Don't let your men fire to their front for the next half hour, because an Indian working party has just gone up and might be hit.' And the captain thought this odd, as he had seen no Indian working party. The major had the number 31 on his shoulder strap, and the captain thought this odd, as only eighteen battalions, from 1 to 18, had landed. And he said to the major, 'I say, are you fair dinkum?' (which means, Mr. Masfield translated, straight goods, on the level). And the major said, 'Yes, I'm Major Fairdinkum.' So they shot him for a spy, and it seems he had taken the number 13 from a dead man and twisted it around, which was unwise of him."

And Mr. Masfield told little incidents of everyday life and of the nerve and verve and general gaiety of the men who fight the war.

"General Birdwood had charge of the Australians," he said, "and the men called him Birdie and worshipped him. He was a bright little man and greatly loved. He was given to talking to every one, and every man on the peninsula believed that Birdie knew him by name. One day he was walking along the trenches and looking into the dugouts and chaffing the men. It was very hot and there was scarcely any water. And he saw a soldier washing in a cup as big as a finger-bowl. And he said, 'Hallo, having a good washup?' And the man answered, 'Yes, general, and I only wish I was a bally canary.'"

German Troops

Buy Furloughs

Holding of Old Men in Trenches Hotly Protested by Socialists

The Berlin Socialist newspaper, Vorwarts, reports a debate in the Reichstag during which strong complaints were made against the treatment given the older classes of German soldiers. Herr Stuecklen, a Socialist member, said the government had no intention of releasing the older military classes. He criticized the fact that in the landsturm men 48 years of age still were being kept in the trenches, despite the order that they be taken out of the firing line.

In consequence of the arbitrary procedure of officers regarding furloughs, added Herr Stuecklen, increasing numbers of soldiers had taken their own furloughs and were now undergoing imprisonment for desertion.

Herr Mueller-Mueningen, the radical leader, said that 10,000 of the older men were still in the firing line. The protest that there were no reserves to replace such men were scouted by Herr Ryssel, a Socialist.

"It would only be necessary," he remarked, "to request all the pan-German braggarts, who thank God the war is not yet ended, to volunteer. The feeling at the front is not enthusiastic, and this is not surprising in view of the treatment the soldiers are getting."

Criticizing the food of the soldiers, Herr Ryssel declared there were units in the army called "hunger companies," and he remarked that a furlough could be bought by subscribing to the war loan. He ended by demanding the appointment of a commission of inquiry to examine into the sentences passed by military tribunals.

General Scheuch denied that men had been called up because of their allegiance to a political party. He added, however: "We certainly call up those who prove to be agitators."

Free Men for Farm Work

The Canada food board is preparing plans for the mobilization of labor for spring seeding operations. Men familiar with handling horses will be specially needed and it is essential that they be secured to work on the land. For this reason employers of such labor, in urban centres, will be well advised to consider the adoption of co-operative methods of delivery in order to free the men capable of driving horses and especially those with farm experience.

Willy Bilton—Pa, will you please tell me a fairy story?

Bilton—A fairy story? Well, let's see, how will we begin it?

Mrs. Bilton (sweetly)—Begin it, I was detained at the office, dear, then continue.—Lethbridge Herald.

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17-19

MILITARY SUCCESSES OF ENEMY WILL ONLY PROLONG THE WAR

NO PEACE WHILE SPIRIT OF CONQUEST ENDURES

Interest in the War by People of Germany is Maintained by Occasional Spectacular Achievements in the Field, and Crushing Defeat is the Only Way to Bring Peace

The greater the German success on the battlefield, said Arthur Henderson in a recent speech, the more remote was world peace. He accepted the view that there can be no peace until Germany abandons her policy of conquest and military domination; successes, by encouraging the German people to believe in military piracy as a profitable business undertaking, tend to postpone the time when this will be the view of the German people.

Mr. Henderson, whose position is becoming more assured as the leader of allied Labor and Socialist forces in Great Britain, has clear ideas of what is necessary to safeguard the world against a renewal of a world-wide war. He wants a league of nations, the complete democratization of the machinery of government in all countries, limitation of armaments, and the abandonment of all plans of economic boycotting.

These are highly desirable ends, and Mr. Henderson has a clear idea how they can be obtained. The democratic peoples of the world, he says, can only smother the sword when the German people are able to induce "a change of mentality" in their leaders. He assumes, no doubt correctly, that only from the German people can come the impulses which will break the power of the war lords and fit Germany to belong to the proposed league of nations; but how are the German people to be brought to this frame of mind? The peace offensives carried on by Mr. Wilson, Mr. Henderson and others may help; but nothing but the actual demonstration by results that war is a huge and criminal blunder will complete their enlightenment.

There have been periods in this war when the German people appeared to be on the eve of disillusionment; but in each case they were enabled to recover their faith in the efficacy of the "German sword" by some spectacular achievement in the field. The crushing of Serbia in the fall of 1915; the overrunning of the larger part of Roumania in 1916; and the Italian successes in October, 1917, were all carefully staged for the encouragement of civilian faith in the army; and now there comes this unresisted advance into the heart of Russia which has, for the moment at any rate, renewed the original lust of the German people for the conquest of the world by the sword.

Until they learn the truth of Mr. Henderson's statement that such military successes are within their power, merely prolong the war and postpone indefinitely the peace which they undoubtedly desire, they will consent to the Prussian program of rapine and piracy. They can only be taught by experience, which is a slow process. They will have to be convinced by the progress of events that the high hopes based upon their victories over the disorganized mobs of Russia were illusory.

This implies the continued vigorous, unrelenting conduct of the war—and this is the program favored by Mr. Henderson, who speaks for British Labor. Mr. Henderson's position is sounder than that of the Marquis of Lansdowne, who is obviously prepared to yield something to save the social order which means so much to him and his class. The one sure chance still left for the right ending of this war is in the rallying of all the forces of Labor throughout the allied world to the cause with a determination to see it through. It is becoming increasingly certain that this support will be forthcoming in ample volume.—Manitoba Free Press.

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The Breakers of Peace

The question which Christian people ought to be most concerned about in connection with the war is the question of right and wrong. Are we justified in the sight of God for taking part in this terrible conflict? Is the responsibility for launching this devastating curse upon the world ours or our enemy's. As President Lincoln said, "what matters it not so much to be sure that God is on our side as to be sure that we are on God's side."

Probably nothing that has been published since the outbreak of the war throws more light upon questions of this kind than the memorandum written by Prince Lichnowsky, writing out of an intimate knowledge of the British policy, and especially of the policy and sentiments of men like Premier Asquith and Foreign Secretary Sir Edward Grey, fixes the guilt for the war firmly upon his own Government. He shows that war was forced upon the Allies, and that the Government of Britain at least, so far from willing the war, did everything that was humanly possible to prevent it. The rulers of Germany, beyond a doubt, were the breakers of peace.

The indictment is a terrible one. If the peace could have been kept everything good might have been hoped for. Democracy was growing rapidly in Germany and the days of the military autocracy were plainly numbered. Notwithstanding trade rivalry and naval rivalry there were strong forces at work making for better relations between Germany and Britain. Prince Lichnowsky himself had that end in view and believed that an understanding could be reached. In that spirit, he says, he had undertaken his mission from the beginning and had almost suc-

ceeded in carrying out his programme when the war broke out and destroyed everything. The democratic forces were submerged in the wave of patriotic insanity and a fire of international hatred was kindled that will not be quenched for many years.

The testimony of Prince Lichnowsky, illuminating so clearly the origins of the war, throws light also upon the problems of settlement. Since Germany was the aggressor she cannot be allowed—unless the Allies are defeated—to enjoy the fruits of her aggression. The surrender of the territory in France and Belgium and Serbia which the Teutonic invaders hold in their possession must must be preliminary even to a discussion of peace. That much being settled, a bargaining for terms may properly begin and questions like Alsace-Lorraine, Italia Irredenta, the German colonies, trading privileges, and the like, may be taken up. And it could not be regarded as an improper interference with the affairs of a sovereign nation if the Allies were to insist that a system of Government which is a constant and inevitable menace to the peace loving and democratic peoples of the world must be changed.

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The First Blow Against Napoleon

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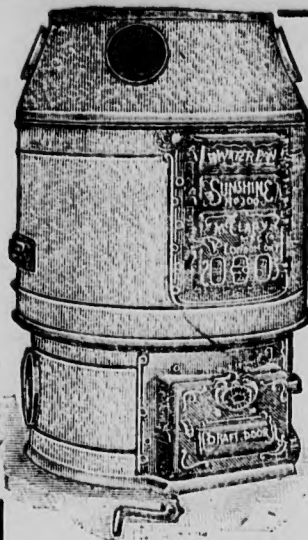
We need to remember today that our fathers went through darker hours than any which we have yet faced. They made one great mistake. In 1802 they signed a premature peace by compromise,—and in the following year were again at war! They fought—the would-be conqueror of Europe for twenty-three long years. He held western Europe from the Mediterranean to the Baltic. At one time, and that when Napoleon was strongest, Britain had no allies. Russia deserted her in 1807. Her taxes were crushing. Her people complained of famine. Croakers talked of a hopeless struggle with ruin at the end. Compared with those days ours are bright.

The great nation against which we contended a hundred years ago is today our ally. France is with

us in this war against military tyranny and will be to the end. The United States with its boundless resources has come into the struggle and her military strength is only beginning to be felt. We have on our side, two other great powers, Italy and Japan. In men and resources we are vastly superior to the enemy. It will take time to strike effectively, but nothing like the time it took a century ago. To our

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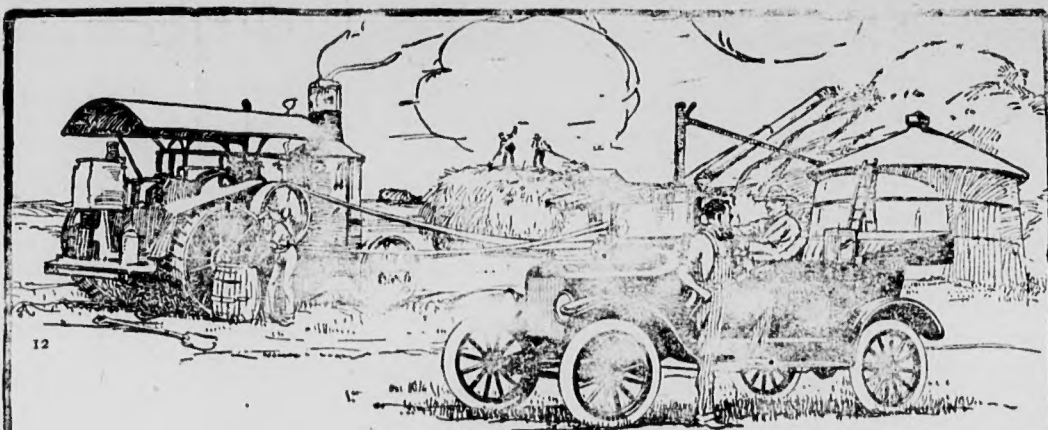
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Brakeman—This train goes to New York in ten minutes.
Inquirer—Goodness! That's going some!—Christian Register.

Get a Good Wife

The Main Thing Is to Marry a Girl With Good Common Sense

"A man who is not happy in his domestic life cannot be thoroughly efficient. If he has to fret and worry over things at home he cannot give the best that is in him to his work. His strength and nerve and enthusiasm are detracted from. The main thing is to marry a girl with good common sense. It is not necessary that she should learn a great deal about his business problems; but if she has solid sense she will know how to be sympathetic, how to economize, how to encourage him, how to inspire his ambition, and how to facilitate the attainment of that ambition by having his home surroundings cheerful and pleasant, by attending carefully to his physical well-being, and by entering into the spirit of his aims and objects. Good health is extremely important in the struggle for success, and a man's health is dependent in a very large measure upon his home life. A young man in seeking a wife should pay more attention to her heart and her health than to her dowry."—E. P. Ripley, Veteran President of the Santa Fe, in The American Magazine.

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There are many society women who are experts with their needles, and who can turn an ugly "shape" into a beautiful "creation." One of these is Lady Cheylesmore, and she has several times won prizes at hat-trimming competitions.

Lady Maitland, too, is a clever milliner, and she once organized a sale of hats, every one made or trimmed by her own hands. Lady Hervey-Bathurst has trimmed many pretty hats, and before her marriage she had a millinery shop in Sloans Square. Mrs. Arthur Weigall is another society woman who would make a small fortune as a milliner. —Tit-Bits.

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Destruction of Subs.

Parts of Submarines Included in Catch of Dutch Fishermen

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"Floating parts of submarines are raising havoc with the nets of our fishermen," Mr. Venstra said. "In many cases floats and jetsam have been submitted to coast guardsmen and officers of the Dutch navy and were identified as belonging to submarines that probably had been destroyed by depth charges."

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THE SPRING DRIVE

Our boys are going "Over the top" and into "No man's land" this spring. No one has any doubt of their ability to get there. There will also be a spring drive on this side of the ocean, because March is the year's "blue Monday." It is the most fatal month of the year. March and April is a time when resistance usually is at lowest ebb. It is a trying season for the "run-down" man. But medical science steps in, and says, "it need not be!" We should cultivate a love of health, a sense of responsibility for the care of our bodies. Do not allow the machinery of the body to clog. Put the stomach and liver in proper condition. Take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, to be had at most drug stores in tablet or liquid form, tablets fifty cents a vial, composed of native herbs. This puts the stomach and liver in proper condition. You may be plodding along, no spring, no elasticity, no vim, but as soon as you have put the body into its normal physical condition—oiled the machinery, as it were—you will find new vim, vigor and vitality within you. A little "pep," and we laugh and live. Try it now. Send Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N.Y., or branch office, Bridgeburg, Ont., 10c. for trial pkg. The prime necessity of life is health. With spirit and energy you have the power to force yourself into action. The Golden Medical Discovery is the spring tonic which you need.

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| LOTS | BLOCK | PLAN |
|------------------|-------|---------|
| 16 | 9 | 4741 |
| 1 & 2 | 2 | 1427 H. |
| W 1/2 of 24 | F | 3880 N. |
| Part 5 and all 6 | 8 | 4741 L. |
| 17 | 18 | 110 O. |
| 2 & 4 | 5 | 3880 S. |
| 3 | 7 | 3025 S. |
| Part of | M | 3880 N. |
| 19 & 20 | 15 | 5116 L. |
| W 1/2 10 | 3 | 3880 N. |

A. BRUSSO,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Town of Didsbury.

NOTICE!

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Southwest Quarter of Section 14, Township 32, Range 27, West 4th Mer.
Northeast Quarter of Section 14, Township 32, Range 27, West 4th Mer.
Southeast Quarter of Section 28, Township 32, Range 27, West 4th Mer.
Northeast Quarter of Section 34, Township 33, Range 27, West 4th Mer.
Southwest Quarter of Section 21, Township 31, Range 1, West 5th Mer.
Northwest Quarter of Section 1, Township 33, Range 1, West 5th Mer.

A. BRUSSO,
Secretary-Treasurer Rural Municipality of Mountain View No. 310.

AROUND THE TOWN

The ladies of the Eastern Star will meet at the Red Cross rooms for sewing on Friday evening, May 10th, at 8 o'clock. All ladies invited to attend.

Any person having a young man's overcoat which they wish to donate to a good cause please leave at the Pioneer Office for the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church.

Even the town constable finds it necessary to have an auto. Mr. Sick purchased a Ford car last week and now it does not matter if you do try to take to the tall timber, "he will get you if you don't watch out."

The rain and snow flurry on Tuesday was worth thousands of dollars to the farmers. It was just beginning to get a little dry. Seeding is almost completed in this district and the farmers are well ahead with their work.

Lloyd Murdock, son of Mr. Alma Murdock, who worked for the Pioneer for some years, has joined the American Army and is now in France. Mr. Frank Murdock, uncle of Lloyd, who lives in Didsbury, now has 27 close relatives in the U. S. army.

Frank Keiver, of Stavely, a former Didsburyite, and F. W. Ritchie, of Parkland, were visitors in town on Friday and made a call upon the Editor and several old-timers. Frank is looking fine and still has the punch of a happy smile for everyone.

Rev. James H. Bury spent the latter end of two weeks ago west of town where he helped to organize work for the promotion of Holiness. Rev. G. H. Webb, of Johnston, Kansas, is called as pastor for the Holiness church at Westerdale and will conduct services every Sunday at 3.30 p.m. and Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. at M. H. Brown's, Westerdale. Everyone is given a hearty invitation to attend services.

Mr. W. Wright, father of Sid Wright, arrived in town from Australia on Monday. Mr. Wright had a very good trip across the briny although it was a little hard on the nerves at times because of mines, etc., which had broken away from their moorings in the North Sea and floated out south. Mr. Wright, it will be remembered, lived in Didsbury for two or three years, leaving here in 1912. This completes the third trip to Australia and New Zealand besides two or three to England which he has made. He is not certain as to the length of his visit this time.

DIED

MILLER—At Didsbury, Alta., on Thursday, May 2nd, 1918, Pansy Laurette Miller, aged 9 years.

BORN

LEVAGOOD—On Sunday, May 5th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Ira Levagood, a daughter.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to friends and acquaintances who showed great kindness and sympathy during the recent illness and death of our daughter, and also to express our appreciation of and thanks for the beautiful floral wreath given by the teacher and pupils of Grade One.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. MILLER,
Didsbury, Alta.

Amalgamation of Flying Forces

Lieutenant MacNamara, Officer in charge of recruiting for Western Canada, advises it has been officially announced that the Royal Flying Corps and the Royal Naval Air Service have been amalgamated and the new branch of the service is to be the Royal Air Force.

It has long been realized that these two units have grown to such an extent that a third arm of the Service should be formed, namely, The Air, as distinct from the Navy and Army, and this has been carried out as from the first of April, 1918.

Figures as to the size of the Royal Air Force are not available, but some idea of the size of the Force may be obtained from the fact that the number of new machines put into commission each day is approximately the same as the total were in commission at the outbreak of war.

The demand for pilots is consequently becoming greater every day and young men, between the ages of 17 and 30 years, would do well to write to the Recruiting Officer of the Royal Air Forces at 282 Main St., Winnipeg, for particulars of Service in the new force, or to the nearest Civilian Recruiting Committee.

A distinctive uniform for The Force is being devised, but the details have not yet been arranged.

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Duties—Six months residence upon cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

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A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.

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